



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: 12/11/2022

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 12/8/2022

Time: 6:41pm

Location of Offense/Incident: 1000 Block of Marland Dr N

Zone: 1

Precinct: 18

Incident Report #: 220896310

Cruiser District: 182

Victim: Branden Morris

Sex: M

Race: W

Age: 37

Victim: Matthew Scheurell

Sex: M

Race: W

Age: 45

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Unknown

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Suspect:

Address:

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Incident Summary: *Update: Victim #1 has been positively identified as, Branden Morris, Next of Kin notification has been made.*****

On December 8, 2022, at approximately 6:41pm, officers were dispatched to the 1000 Block of Marland Dr. N. on the report of a shooting. Officers arrived at scene and found two victims suffering from apparent gunshot wounds. Officers rendered aid until Columbus Fire Medic #24 arrived. The medic pronounced victim # 1 deceased at scene, at 6:53pm. The medic then transported victim # 2 to a local hospital in critical condition. Despite receiving life-saving medical treatment, victim # 2 was pronounced deceased at 7:21pm. Victim #1's information is being withheld until next of kin notification is made. This investigation is on-going.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). Detective O'Conner is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective M.T. Smith.

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